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SUBJECT: U.S. CONTRIBUTION TO SPECIAL ACTION

REF: EC BRUSSELS 05104

1. PLEASE PASS BUTLER (LONDON) AND APPROPRIATE COMMISSION OFFICIALS (USEC) FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM COOPER ON SUBJECT OF US SHARE IN SPECIAL ACTION.

2. QUESTION OF US SHARE IN SPECIAL ACTION PROGRAM WAS DISCUSSED AT MAY 19 MEETING OF CABINET-LEVEL ECONOMIC POLICY GROUP. WE CONTINUE TO HAVE PROBLEMS WITH THE CONFIDENTIAL

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37.5 PERCENT SHARE FOR THE US PROPOSED BY THE EC. THE EPG WERE CONCERNED ABOUT THE REACTION IN CONGRESS TO SO HIGH A US SHARE, HIGHER THAN THE US CONTRIBUTION TO MOST OTHER MULTILATERAL EFFORTS. WE ARE ALSO CONCERNED ABOUT THE PRECEDENT OF ACCEPTING SO HIGH A SHARE. WE WILL BE PREPARED TO CONTINUE OUR DISCUSSIONS WITH THE EC AND REST OF THE G-8 ON BOTH THIS QUESTION AND THE MODALITIES OF

SPECIAL ACTION NEXT WEEK BEFORE AND DURING THE SENIOR
OFFICIALS MEETING. CHRISTOPHER

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